

CORRESPONDENCE.

Triplett Topics.

T. G. Reed is confined to his bed with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Clyde Bowman came up from Salisbury Saturday evening.

D. B. Lee is on the street again after a severe attack of pneumonia.

A. W. McWilliams is slowly recovering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. M. Hardy is in Kansas City visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Peterson.

Mrs. Jennie Muckey of Independence, Mo., is visiting relatives at this place.

A protracted meeting was commenced at the Methodist church here Sunday.

Quite a number of our teachers attended the teachers' association Brunswick last week.

Miss Laura Greene left Monday evening for Excelsior Springs on an extended visit to that place.

Mrs. F. M. Elliott and daughter, Miss Carrie, left Tuesday night for a visit to friends and relatives in Illinois.

Miss Lizzie Lee of Indian Grove spent a few days with homefolks and attended the teachers' association at Brunswick.

Dalton Dimples.

The township board of Bowling Green township met in regular session Monday.

Gus Friesz, a Keytesville boy, formerly Wabash agent at Straham, Ia., is now agent at Miami station, Mo.

Byron McCurry, postmaster at Salisbury, and Heber Hayes, banker of the same town, were over Friday visiting friends.

Our tonsorial artist, John G. Payne, is on the sick list. We hope he will soon be able to mingle again with his friends.

Mrs. Emma Meadows and son, Milo, arrived Friday afternoon from California on a visit to her father, Fred Roebken, and family.

The Epworth league will meet as usual Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock sharp. Miss Anna Roebken is the appointed leader that day.

We learn that the protracted meeting at the Bowling Green Methodist church is still going on and that the results are very satisfactory.

John Kuhler, one of our prominent farmers, has bought a farm in Howard county, east of Fayette, and expects to take possession in the early spring.

In a letter to friends, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Agee write from Springdale, Ark., that they are well pleased with their new home. The climate is fine, they say, and flowers are still in bloom.

Jos. Miles, formerly a merchant of this town, but now living at Springdale, Ark., sold to Mrs. Sarah Coleman, a dwelling-house, located in block 20, lot 14, Dalton. Consideration, \$300.

Frank Kalinka's team, hitched to a buggy, ran away last Thursday, one-half mile south of Dalton. The team got loose from the buggy to which the tongue was demolished. No harm to the horses. Frank has never been considered a sprinter, but the way he tried to outstrip the runaway was a caution. He ran so fast that his coat-tail could hardly keep up with him, begosh!

Sumner Squibs.

Hickory-nuts are in demand here at \$5 cts. a bushel.

"Uncle" Sam Dillon continues to supply Sumner market with a superior quality of cabbage.

Dr. A. C. Null is often seen on our streets accompanied by his faithful watch dog.

J. W. Stobaugh went to Keytesville Monday to do jury service at circuit court.

H. K. West, a Brookfield attorney, changed cars here Monday en route to Keytesville to attend circuit court.

Rev. P. F. Sears of Clifton Hill filled the pulpit of the Baptist church in Sumner Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Florence Mathews and son, Gray, and Mrs. John McCormick were shopping in Brookfield Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. A. C. Ballard is visiting

her parents, J. W. Waugh and wife, and sister at Breckenridge, Mo.

Deputy Sheriff Steve Shaughnessy was here last week subpoenaing witnesses for circuit court.

W. H. Tuft drove down from Linneus last week and sold his buggy horse to A. B. Brown while here.

Robt. Bedell had the misfortune to lose a good work horse last week. The animal dropped dead in the harness while hitched to a wagon.

Mrs. Southerland, who returned to Sumner from St. Louis a short time ago, will leave for Chicago in a few days to spend the winter.

Coon dogs are in demand here. One party bought a hound for \$16, and Ed McDonald sold his celebrated bob-tailed coon canine for \$22.50, spot cash.

Our school was dismissed Thursday and Friday of last week in order that the teachers could attend the teachers' association at Brunswick.

Sam Roberts of Brookfield was here last week and took up the remains of his 5-year-old sister and shipped them to Green City, Mo., for re-interment.

The following persons have renewed faith with the Great Favorite Weekly since our last: John McKee, Dr. A. C. Null and D. T. Smart. Many thanks, gentlemen.

The Fulbright Mercantile Co. received a carload of fine Colorado potatoes last week, which they are retailing at \$1 a bushel, but sold some at the car for a little less than that figure.

The Triplett Tribune had a representative here last week who was trying to get a correspondent at this place for that popular paper. We don't know whether he succeeded or not.

Barney Winkelmeyer was seen going out of town Saturday with a shotgun. He said he should have mixed salt with shot so the ducks would not have spoiled before they hit the ground.

Ed and Will McDonald killed 103 ducks—79 mallards and the remainder teal and blackjacks—at Little Swan lake, one mile north of Sumner, Tuesday of last week.

Farmers are making use of their time now gathering corn. Some are done while others are just commencing. The crop is short of an average. A few have sold at 30 cts. a bushel, delivered.

"Uncle" A. Dickson has been in camp on Locust creek hunting and fishing and killing and eating squirrels until he feared there was danger of his climbing a tree in his sleep. So he broke camp and came back to town.

Elmer Adkins, formerly of Sumner, but who moved to Colorado to take charge of a sheep ranch, arrived here Wednesday, having traded his Colorado possessions for land in Minnesota, about 20 miles from St. Paul. Mr. Adkins and wife are temporarily stopping at Osceola, Iowa.

A clandestine marriage took place in Sumner Monday evening at 7 o'clock p. m. at the residence of Justice F. M. Lewis, who tied the nuptial knot for Chas. Barnett and Miss Isadora House. Only Mrs. Lewis and Miss Bessy Smith were present. No cards.

C. J. J. Martyr went to Brookfield Tuesday to be present at convocation services of Grace Episcopal church in which he holds membership. Rt. Rev. E. B. Atwell, bishop of this diocese, preached. Other able divines of the Episcopal faith were also present at missionary services. The sum of \$65 was raised.

A WRECK.

Monday evening the regular freight train on the C., B. & K. C. railroad was doing some switching at this place, and while backing over the intersection of the C., B. & K. C. and Wabash railways the C., B. & K. C. engine was struck by an east-bound Wabash engine, with a caboose attached, running at a high rate of speed, and completely turned the C., B. & K. C. engine over with Engineer Davis and Fireman J. E. Ballinger in the cab. Strange to say, Mr. Davis was but slightly hurt, while Fireman Ballinger escaped injury, the Wabash engine was badly smashed. The pilot was torn off and the front trucks

knocked out. Wrecking trains from both roads were soon on hand with a large force of men, and the track was cleared and trains were passing in a few hours.

Mike Matters.

Corn-husking is the order of the day.

Thos. Graves and family visited at R. P. Green's Sunday.

Ely Hedrick went to Keytesville Monday evening on business.

Miss Gay Maupin visited relatives in Marceline and Bucklin several days last week.

Joe Burgener and wife of Marceline came down Monday to visit their parents for a few days.

Elmer Walker's son, Elmer, was brought back from Louisiana a corpse Friday and buried at St. Joseph's church Saturday.

Geo. Hains and wife and Mrs. Carrie Redding and children were guests of H. C. Phillips and family Sunday.

The new telephone line coming in from the northeast is about completed. There will be another from the southeast in a short time.

Quite a number of the relatives spent last Friday at the home of H. F. Miller and family, the occasion being in honor of Miller's birthday.

Salisbury Scribblings.

The first cold snap struck us Monday.

The new opera-house is nearing completion.

Dr. Dawes made a business trip to Oklahoma this week.

J. P. Christian has purchased the Craig property of W. B. James. Consideration, \$600.

Rev. Watts began a series of meetings at the Baptist church Tuesday night.

John Foley has sold his property on the north side to Mr. Brooks.

Mrs. A. A. Henderson left Tuesday for Okarche, Okla., her future home.

W. S. Coleman, B. F. Winn and Major Walton are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Minnie Clarkson has purchased the art studio of Mrs. C. E. Curtis at Higbee, Mo., and took possession the 12th inst. We wish her success in her new work.

Mrs. Minnie Fisher has purchased the dwelling-house of Mrs. Pennell on East Second street. Consideration, \$375. Mrs. Pennell leaves the latter part of the month for California where she will reside in the future.

Our public school teachers attended the teachers' association at Brunswick Thursday and Friday of last week. Miss Hattie Virgin took a few of her little pupils with her to exhibit their knowledge in number work. These little ones reflect much credit on their teacher.

Scribner Shots.

K. J. Fennell was down in the Hills Sunday calling on friends.

J. A. Stender is repainting his house which adds materially to its appearance.

Miss Cora Job visited her sister, Mrs. J. W. Ellis, and family, near Pee Dee, Wednesday and Thursday.

T. M. Paschen of Keytesville was here Sunday and Monday visiting his aunt, Mrs. Julius Sleyster, and family.

Henry Wright and family visited Henry's parents, F. M. Wright and wife of north of town Saturday and Sunday.

James Dooley had the misfortune to get one of his horses pretty badly cut on barb wire one day last week.

Miss Annie Stender, Scribner's efficient teacher, attended the teachers' association at Brunswick the three last days of last week.

Fred Burns and wife of Keytesville visited their daughter, Mrs. Julius Sleyster, and family Saturday and Sunday.

W. C. Recob, who sold his farm to B. F. Trueblood, has bought five acres from H. C. Hyde, near town, on which he is building.

While J. M. Job was loading his shotgun Friday it was discharged, tearing a hole in the floor about the size of a silver half dollar. He will be more careful in the future.

Rev. C. DeWeese's regular appointments will be Saturday

Stylish Clothing!

George Washington is said to have thrown a dollar across the Potomac river. That's about as far as a dollar generally goes these days. Had he lived in our day and spent it at AGEE BROS.' STORE, it would have nearly doubled its worth in purchasing power. We are the leaders in low prices.

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Letter List

The following is a list of unclaimed letters in the Keytesville, Mo., post-office Nov. 20, 1903: Mrs. Maggie Ray, Miss Retha Statter, Miss Marion White.

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